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MUTUAL ACCUSATIONS.

Counter Charges of Murder Made Against Artisans and Carnegie Men.

A Philadelphia Forger and Defaulter Returns Home a Veritable Wreck.

More Fighting in Venezuela---Ferdinand Ward Engaged to be Married.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 3.—The Commercial Gazette says Andrew Carnegie will himself withdraw his magnificent donation to the city of Pittsburg, in the event of the council taking official notice of the resolutions passed from time to time during the past month by trades unions, requesting that body to return the millionaire steel king's donation. The reasons assigned are, Carnegie is on his mettle and he would regard any official action taken upon those varied resolutions as a personal insult backed by base ingratitude.

Hugh Ross, one of the men accused by Secretary Lovejoy of murder and riot at Homestead, and who is now out on bail, just made informations before Alderman King, South Side, Pittsburg, charging U. C. Frick, F. T. F. Lovejoy, Robert Pinkerton Wm. Pinkerton, K. A. Potter, C. A. Carey, J. G. A. Leishman, H. M. Curry, C. W. Bedell, Fred Primer, W. H. Butt, John Cooper and F. W. Hinde, of murder of John E. Morris, Geo. W. Rutter, Silas Wayne and Jos. Sotax. The five last names are of Pinkerton detectives, Robert and Wm. Pinkerton are the heads of the Pinkerton bureau; the others are Carnegie officials.

Secretary Lovejoy gives an official and emphatic denial to the story that Andrew Carnegie will withhold his gift to the city. Lovejoy said that there was not one word of truth in the story that Carnegie is angry. "Such talk he said, is the veriest nonsense. It has not been talked of here and I am confident the author of the story did not get the statement from anyone connected with Carnegie's."

A Fugitive's Return.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—James Hunter, who five years ago startled the financial world by a precipitate flight from this city after putting out forged paper to the amount of $106,200, was to-day held in $100,000 bail to answer, having returned unexpectedly on Sunday. When the steamship Seguranca arrived in New York on Sunday, it had on board the fugitive, broken in health, his mind shattered and bearing but a faint resemblance to the once honored business man who was head of the extensive mill firm of James and John Hunter. John Hunter was receiver of taxes and the firm was recognized in business circles as one of the most reliable in the States. The money raised by Jas. Hunter is supposed to have been lost in western land speculation. A physician examined Jas. Hunter to-day and has no hesitancy in pronouncing him incurably affected mentally. Subsequently all the facts were placed before District Attorney Graham and he accepted bail. The return of Mr. Hunter was so quiet that some members of the family will learn it through the newspapers this morning. There is no doubt in the minds of those who brought him back that he will never be in a condition to stand his trial.

A Clever Crook Caught.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 3.—Wm. C. Buchanan, twenty-three years old, was arrested here to-day. He is wanted at Memphis for forgery. Buchanan is apparently a skilful crook and has swindled the Memphis bankers and brokers out of large sums. His scheme for obtaining signatures is a novel one. When Buchanan reaches a city he writes to leading business men, telling them in his letter that he has an introduction and asks a reply making an appointment, and most of them fall into the trap. Thus he obtains the signatures which he afterwards forges on checks. This morning Mr. B. G. Green received a note from Wm. Scott asking an appointment. Mr. Green immediately telegraphed the detectives, and as a result Buchanan was caught, placed in jail and confesses his scheme.

The Elks at Play.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks yesterday enjoyed an outing at Burlington Park, and the programme arranged for their entertainment was one of the most unique ever presented at an out-door entertainment. The festivities were opened with a "Grand oration by Hon. Bro. George W. Peck, Governor of the State of Wisconsin," as the event is announced on the programme. The principal feature of the day, was an open air presentation of Colville's operatic version of "The Babes in the Wood," and "The Good Little Fairy Birds." The libretto is largely original and compiled especially for the occasion, and abounds in local hits and witticisms which were highly appreciated by the audience.

Fighting in Venezuela.

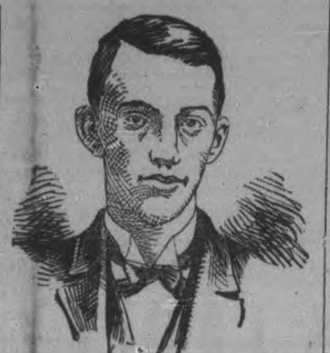
TRINIDAD, via Galveston, Aug. 2.—It is rumored here that the Legalist generals, Velutine and Morles, are marching on Barcelona, and it is expected that news will be received here before long that a bloody battle has been fought between the troops under them and those under General Monag.

Ferdinand Ward Engaged.

MIDDLETON, Conn., Aug. 3.—Ferdinand Ward, once a Napoleon of Wall street, who recently bade adieu to Sing Sing, is engaged to be married. Ward has sumptuous quarters at the Champion Hotel, in East Haddam, of which he was once the owner. He spends little time there, however, as he daily drives over here to spend the time with his betrothed. The young lady who is Ward's financee is twenty-three years old and very pretty. She is the daughter of a prominent citizen, who is very well to do. Ward met the young lady only a short time ago, but it was a case of love at first sight. The wedding is down for the early fall days. The engagement has created much gossip in social circles.

ANARCHIST BERKMAN.

The Man Who Attempted to Assassinate Chairman H. C. Frick.



Alexander Berkman, the would-be assassin of H. C. Frick, president of the Carnegie Iron Works, belongs to the wildest school of New York anarchists. They maintain the right of individuals to seek vengeance for private or public wrongs without any responsibility resulting to their society for the criminal acts of each individual member of it. Every member is supposed to be a self-constituted judge, jury and executioner all rolled into one. They call themselves Autonomists, and take their names from a paper called Die Autonomie, published at one time in Vienna by the originator of the organization, one Joseph Peukert, an Austrian. Peukert's teachings were so criminally rabid he was twice sentenced to imprisonment for treasonable utterances. He was finally banished from his native country in 1884; of this man Berkman is a follower. Berkman claimed to be the organizer of the "Pioneers of Liberty, Group of New York." The members claimed to be men of the most advanced school of theorists and do not disclaim their Anarchistic principles. It will be remembered that on the Day of Atonement the Pioneers of Liberty hired the Labor Lyceum, in Brooklyn, to make a burlesque of the religious exercises. As this is one of the most sacred holidays of the Jewish religion, the police were asked to suppress it. Most was to have spoken at the meeting, but he refrained from doing so when he was threatened with arrest. Berkman came to New York from Russia six years ago. There he was educated at the state colleges and when he arrived in New York he at once took up with the Anarchistic groups. He is a printer and has followed that calling for the past few years, serving as compositor on Anarchist and labor papers.

Dynamiter Arrested.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Another crazy dynamiter of the Norcrosse type is in the hands of the Central office detectives. He was arrested in Brooklyn postoffice and is held under the name of Albert Delaurens. He is a gaunt, wild-eyed, matted-haired anarchist-looking man, about 30 years of age. He was born in Geneva, where he graduated as a lawyer. He is charged with sending threatening letters through the mails to prominent business firms, warning them of destruction by dynamite unless they relieve his needs. Among those threatened were Kidder, Peabody & Co., Tiffany & Co., and Baring, Magoun & Co.

To Corner Wool.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 3.—There is a story afloat in the wool trade to the effect that a syndicate of local merchants has been formed to corner the market for wools. Two prominent local wool dealers and a well known manufacturer are associated in the movement. The story is scouted as ridiculous, but it is credited in some quarters, because all the parties to the alleged deal are known to have been making operations in grade wool during the present season.

Mars Under a Cloud.

SAN JOSE, Aug. 3.—Prof. Holden, of the Lick Observatory, says that last night was very unfavorable for the observation of Mars. It was cloudy except at intervals, and during the short periods in which they obtained a view of the planet through the Lick telescope, they obtained nothing of importance.

The Teutonic's Time.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The steamship Teutonic arrived this morning, making the trip across the Atlantic in 5 days 18 hours, 46 minutes. On Aug. 1st she was compelled to slow down for three hours, owing to a fog. She made 528 miles for the day ending at noon yesterday. This beats the record for a day's run.

American Poachers.

HALIFAX, Aug. 3.—Mackerel have struck in along the shore of St. Mary's Bay, and American fishermen are reported to be fishing inside the three-mile limit. The cruiser Kingfisher has been sent to put a stop to it. There is an unconfirmed report of the seizure of an American mackerel schooner.

Five Parties.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 3.—The state convention of the Democratic party of Minnesota was called to order this morning by Chairman W. M. Campbell, of the State central committee, and by the time the convention has completed its work there will be five more or less complete tickets in the field.

Dairy Kitchen opens to-day at 11 o'clock. *

COLUMBUS CELEBRATION.

Grand Ceremonies at Huelva, the Port From Which the Adventurer Sailed.

American Fishing Schooners Said to be Fishing Inside the Three Mile Limit.

Steamship Teutonic's Fast Time—Business Dull in the Sandwich Islands.

MADRID, Aug. 3.—The ceremonies at Huelva, commemorative of the sailing of Columbus from that port, just 400 years ago to-day, were conducted under the most auspicious circumstances, the weather being all that could be wished for, and the representation from foreign countries even larger than had been expected. The day was opened with a salute at sunrise from the 24 warships lying in the harbor, representing the navies of the United States, England, Italy, France, Spain, Holland, Portugal, Austria, Greece, Mexico, Brazil and the Argentine Republic. The naval evolutions were of an unusually brilliant order and occupied the entire morning. Later in the day there was a great historical procession, illustrating four events of the time of Columbus. The first was the conquest of Granada, in which Boabdil, the last king of Granada, was represented. The second was the departure of Columbus, whose three vessels, Nina, Pinto and Santa Maria, were reproduced exactly as they were 400 years ago, and were drawn on cars. The third tableau was the court of King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella, and the fourth the reception of Columbus on his return from his first voyage of discovery. A still more imposing celebration will take place in Madrid on the 12th of September, when a great exposition will be opened, and will continue until the end of the year.

The Kaiser as a Yachtsman.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—In the race for the Queen's cup, sailed to-day over the Queen's course from Cowes, the Emperor William sailed his own yacht, the Meteor. His decision to take a personal part in the race is thought to have been altered by the opinion of his English relatives that he had better remain in the background and let the Meteor's English crew look after his interests. It was intimated to him, it is said, by one of the British Royal family, that in case the Meteor was defeated, his prestige might suffer a little, especially as his presence on board in such an event would cause some curious comments in the English and French press. Nevertheless, at the last moment, he decided to try his luck aboard, and shortly before 10 o'clock he was rowed out to the Meteor, which at once took the lead, and maintained it throughout and crossed the winning line far in advance of the others. Although the Meteor had a time handicap of 27 minutes, it was thought that she was too far in the lead to leave the other yatchs in the race a chance for the prize. The Emperor was already being congratulated on his victory when the Corsair, owned by Admiral the Hon. Victor Montague, came into sight. The Corsair was covering the course in fine style, and it was evident at once that she was to give the Meteor a close competition for the cup. There was little cheering, as the general feeling was that the Emperor had shown so much sporting blood that he should win the race. The Corsair, however, reached the buoy which marked the end of the course just within her time allowance and took the cup.

Lady Godiva.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—After a lapse of five years, the procession in honor of the Countess Godiva was revived, today, at Coventry. A beautiful young woman rode through the streets in a garb as near Godiva's on the occasion of her celebrated ride about 835 years ago, as modern ideas would permit. Godiva was represented by Miss Alice Sinclair, from the Royal Aquarium, London. On this occasion there was no attempt to drive Peeping Toms behind sheds. The route of the procession was thronged with spectators, who had ample opportunity to pass upon the physical attractions of Miss Sinclair.

THE COAL TRADE.

The Nanaimo Mines Temporarily Closed—A Logger's Death.

NANAIMO, Aug. 3.—It is announced there will be no more mine work in the New V. C. Company's mines for the remainder of the week owing to the absence of vessels to take the coal away. The miners may even be longer idle, as an order has been issued not to turn out unless they hear the whistle from No. 1 shaft.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Hospital Board, the following tenders were awarded for supplies:—Mr. J. Algar, milk; Mr. Smith, bread; J. E. Jenkins, liquors; T. Heddle & Co., groceries; E. Quennell, meat. The prices quoted by a large number of contractors were very close and the highest was only $6 more than the one which obtained the contract. No other business was transacted last evening.

The Equitable Pioneer Society have added an immense refrigerator to their already extensive establishment, and which is at present twice as large as any other of its kind in the city. This society is constantly studying the wants and desires of its patrons, and in order to meet with their wishes they spare no expense in attending to them. This new machine will prove of utility to them and enable them to keep butter, etc., fresh and cool.

John Cook, the logger, who received fatal injuries at McDougall's logging camp last Monday week, died yesterday. Deceased had never regained consciousness from the time the accident occurred to the moment of his death. Cook was a native of New Brunswick and aged 32 years. His brother worked with him at the camp, and he has a sister in this city, from whose residence the funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

The first shipment of coal from Protection Island shaft was in the bark Sea King to-day. There was about 200 tons, and as it is of a superior quality, it is intended for a sample and will be taken to San Francisco. The large seam is already in working order and only awaits the improvement of the coal trade to export it in large quantities. It will find a ready sale when once used.

A very interesting wedding took place at Wellington last evening, when Mr. J.B.L. Jones, overman at No. 5 shaft, and Miss Lizzie McNeil were united. The miners of Wellington made them a present of handsome parlor and bedroom suites as a token of respect for them, and their large circle of friends gave them quite an ovation. The young bride was the recipient of many handsome and costly presents sent by her circle of acquaintances, and which will be useful to her in her newly wedded life.

The Hotel Wilson was formally opened by Mr. J. Richards, proprietor, last evening and a grand time was spent by all those who are acquainted with "mine host" "Joe," as he is familiarly called, did the thing in good style, as many acknowledged to-day when they felt their heads. Every one wishes Joe all the success he deserves and as he is well known there is little doubt but that he will do well.

The Peck estate was fined $25 for an infringement of the Sunday Closing Act. The case was proven by three sailors who had been drinking there.

The Seamen's Union will appeal the case against the three longshoremen sentenced by Magistrate Planta. The officers of the union are of the opinion that the sentence was unjust and feel confident of upsetting the decision. Simpson and Young have been instructed to appeal.

THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.

Business Stagnant—The Attorney-General Resigns.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—The steamer Oceanic, which arrived from the Orient via Honolulu to-day, reports all quiet at the latter place. Business is at a standstill and there seemed to be no immediate prospect of a revival of trade. The Attorney-General is the only cabinet minister who has resigned, but he is holding office at the request of the Queen. Judge J. N. Davidson, of the Hawaiian Supreme Court, who was a passenger on the steamer, when asked if it was true that the British cruiser Champion had left Honolulu to take possession of Johnston Island, said: "The Champion left for a cruise among the islands, but if she was to seize any one particular group it is more than anyone in Hawaii knows. I do not think there is a word of truth in the story."

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

A Chinese Convert Becoming Insane Tries to Drown Herself.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 3,—Gwe, a Chinese Christian, attempted to drown herself last night. She was prevented from carrying her rash purpose into effect by three Chinamen. Drs. Dewolf, Smith and Boggs, pronounced her insane this morning.

A livery rig belonging to Herd was seized at Blaine by the U. S. customs for neglecting to report after crossing the line. The driver had taken McPhee, the Vancouver forger, to Ferndale, and the seizure was made on his return through Blaine. The rig was a valuable one.

The guards placed along the boundary at Blaine, to prevent an invasion from the Canadian side during the reign of quarantine into the State of Washington, have been withdrawn owing to the expense of maintaining them and for other reasons.

It has been decided by the school boards to allow children to attend the school after the vacation, unless they can show certificates of vaccination.

Near the mouth of the river the boats in the employ of the Wadham's cannery, twenty in number, netted 6000 fish, which is an average of 300 to the boat. Opposite Ladner's Landing the catch was not nearly so good, but the boats at work between Annaci's Island and Sapperton brought in an average of about 200 each.

VANCOUVER'S PREDICAMENT.

The Police Magistrate's Decision in the Spinks and Mackay Case.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 3.—Spinks and Mackay, charged with violation of the provincial health by-laws by Spinks escaping from the Yosemite and Mackay assisting him, were dismissed this morning by Police Magistrate Jordan. The grounds for refusing to convict were that on the day in question there was no properly constituted health officer, according to the Provincial Health Act, under which the information was laid. The health officer required to be a medical man, which Inspector Huntley was not, and Dr. Herald was not then appointed. Had the escape been made the following day the defendants would have been liable. According to the police magistrate's decision the detention of the passengers the first day by Officer Huntley was illegal.

Charlie Wy-At was arrested for obeying the commands of the highbinders in trying to shoot Ah Fat, who had offended them. Policeman Eligh dug out a bullet from the wall and found it to be a 32.calibre. Ah Fat said that Ah Fook, proprietor of a big lottery in Chinatown, had witnessed the shooting. Police Magistrate Jordan asked to have Ah Fook brought into court, and a companion of Ah Fat was asked to tell him to come into court, but the man turned pale and said he dared not.

Alfred Pleace and J. McDonald have both succumbed to smallpax at Deadman's Island. The latter was formerly a bartender at the Arlington Hotel.

Work has been started on the new B. C. Land & Investment Company's building at the corner of Hastings and Homer streets.

Plate, Ornamental and Sheet Glass, Paints, Oils, &c.

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For Tinting Plaster Walls and Ceilings, at
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SANITARY and other WALLPAPER

CANADIAN NOTES

News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.

Captain J. E. Moore, prominent in lake navigation circles, is dead at Toronto, aged 33.

Mr. Vincent Wiggins, father of Mr. E. Stone Wiggins, and one of the most prominent residents in Queen's county, N.S., is dead.

Snow, the missing mayor of Moncton, has been seen in Boston, and this sets at rest the fears that some of his friends had of foul play.

John Andrews, one of Port Arthur's most popular young men, was accidentally drowned at Loon Lake, 30 miles east of the town.

David J. Burnett, a brother of Wm. Burnett, of Cobourg, has been killed by a nitro-glycerine explosion, near Helena, Montana.

A house in the northwest section of Toronto collapsed yesterday evening, but the inmates miraculously escaped any serious injury.

Isaac Holiday, of Eureka, near Mount Forest, was thrown from a wagon while descending a hill the other day, and fatally injured.

The total number of immigrants arriving in Manitoba during July was 2170. The returns for the year, up to date, show 14,897 arrivals.

Work on the C.P.R. Sault line extension will commence on Tuesday. Messrs. Keith, McArthur, Smith and Egan Bros. have the contract.

Disastrous forest fires are raging in Cumberland County, N.S. Among the sawmills burned is that of Kelly Bros., River Herbert, the loss being $15,000.

Henry Oxford, a Barnardo boy, in the employ of a Raleigh township farmer, died from the effects of the heat. His body was found lying on the roadside.

The oldest woman in the Dominion is believed to be living in Hamilton. She is Mrs. Mary Warren, and there appears little doubt that she is 106 years of age.

During the month of July the C.P.R. land department sold 41,000 acres. For the seven months just closed, $952,000 worth of land has been sold by the company.

While digging a trench in the neighborhood of the new electric light station in Kingston the laborers unearthed a number of human bones and a sword, dated 1640.

Mrs. Boulton, relict of Rev. William Boulton, formerly classical master in the Upper Canada College and also curate of St. James Cothedral, Toronto, is dead, aged 84.

Ex-County Crown Attorney Badgerow, of Toronto, has died at the Providence Retreat, Buffalo, N.Y., of a complication of Bright's disease and paresis. He has been ill for some time.

The Montreal police have arrested a young man named Charles Travers on suspicion of being connected with the death of Michael Murphy, whose body was found in the canal on Thursday.

Le Canadien has commenced an agitation against tax exemption in Montreal. It shows that the Roman Catholic property in the city not burdened with taxes is valued at over $8,000,000.

President Van Horne states that the excessive tolls on the American Soo canal will not injure the C.P.R. much. Their boats can be used in other ways and the main line will be able to carry all the traffic.

A man of 70, named Fortin, was found dead in bed at Quebec. Death is alleged to have been due to a mixture of liquor, which he was compelled to drink by a number of practical joking young men, and an investigation is to be held.

The Government and Opposition whips at Ottawa having agreed before the close of the last session of the Commons to stop all election protests, proceedings in the Richelieu case have been dropped and Bruneau has been confirmed in his seat.

A prominent gentleman in Montreal states that he will subscribe $25,000 towards the completion of the Canadian Soo canal by May next, and would undertake to raise the remainder of the $250,000 necessary to complete the canal by private subscription.

The Real Estate Association of Montreal and other leading citizens interested have notified the Quebec Government that proceedings will be taken at once to contest the constitutionality of the law passed at the last session of the Legislature taxing transfers of real estate and successions.

A glove fight to a finish for the championship of Southern Alberta took place at M. J. Holland's ranch, in the Porcupine hills, between M. Johnson, of England, and A. Dickson, late of Ontario. The ring was pitched on a good level grassy spot on the prairie. Johnson won in the eighth round.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of W. F. McLean, M.P., proprietor of the Toronto World, for publishing a criminal libel on M. C. Cameron, ex-M.P. It is also understood that further proceedings are on foot against McLean for making his journal the vehicle for the dissemination of salacious literature.

The Calgary health authorities were notified Sunday that Mrs. Belwar, a young woman who was married only a short time ago, and who lived in the house of her father, David Jerry, about half a mile from Shepard station, 12 miles east of Calgary was down with the smallpox. The people have been removed to the quarantine hospital in Calgary.

The farmers of North Dakota, south of Crystal City, Manitoba, and adjacent stations, are endeavoring to make arrangements with the officials of the Treasury Department, at Washington, in regard to hauling grain to the C. P. R. Southwestern branch, and thence shipping it in bond to Duluth or Minneapolis. It will be a great saving in time and money.

The second session of the second legislative assembly of the Northwest Territory opened Tuesday. The speech of the Lieutenant-Governor states that the great influx of emigrants renders the construction of the Colonization railway an absolute necessity. The liquor license system is working well, but some minor amendments are needed. A World's Fair exhibit is proposed.

Plans have been completed for a colossal monument to the Virgin Mary in Montreal, which is to be built in the rear of the historic Bonsecours Church, facing the river, which it is intended shall be a fitting memorial both of the 250th anniversary of the foundation of Montreal and of the Columbian celebration. The total elevation of the monument from the ground will be 150 feet. It will be erected by voluntary subscription.

The Hon. William McDougall, one of the surviving framers of the Confederation, said that they intended that the Catholic minority in Manitoba should have the right to establish and maintain their own schools. Consequently he thinks that the Privy Council took an erroneous view of the case. It is questionable whether the Dominion Parliament will grant remedial legislation, as the initiative must be taken by the Government, and besides the sense of the Province is opposed to separate schools.

After a long battle, the locked out union moulders of Hamilton are beginning to witness the dawn of better days. On Monday the J. M. Williams & Sons' stove works resumed operations with a staff of union men. On Tuesday the Laidlaw Manufacturing Company threw open their doors and invited the union men to take their old places. Other large foundry firms are beginning to show symptoms of weakening, and it is expected that all of the locked out men will be at work the latter part of this week.

In preaching his farewell sermon at Carlton, N.B., recently, the Rev. R. S. Crisp complained that certain members of his congregation had made the life of his wife a hell on earth. Mr. Crisp added that the church would get the best of the bargain if it exchanged some of its ministers for convicts from the penitentiary. Now the Shelbourne Budget declares that Mr. Crisp has been notoriously immoral, that he has confessed to being the father of a child, the paternity of which a girl was induced to swear upon a brother minister, and that Mr. Crisp himself ought to be exchanged for a convict.

The French Canadian press is very much incensed at the decision of the Privy Council in the Manitoba school case. The leading papers protest strongly against it, and call upon the Government to pass legislation to protect the rights of the French Canadians in Manitoba. Le Monde, Conservative organ, says: "If it is possible that this iniquitous law should be declared *intra vires*, the Federal Government, whose duty it is to have the constitution and our rights respected, must maintain at its own cost separate schools in the province." The question is expected to become of live interest in politics.

The Juice of the pure lime fruit from carefully cultivated lime trees. That is what the great English drink is—Montserrat. Health in it. Solace in it. These dog days. Recuperative power in it. A pleasure to drink, and then it does you good. 8-w

Richard Ten Broeck Dead.

SAN MATEO, Cal., Aug. 1.—Richard Ten Broeck, the well known horseman, was found dead in his bed at his home, "The Hermitage," near here at 11 o'clock this morning. He was alone at the time and had been for some time, as he experienced great difficulty in keeping help on account of his extremely nervous and erratic temperament. Yesterday he had arranged with a man to come to his house and take an inventory of his household effects, for the purpose, it is thought, of converting them into coin, as he had been for some time hard pressed. When the man went to the door to-day he found the front door partly open, and on the step was Ten Broeck's coat. He entered and proceeded to the bedchamber, where the old horseman was found dead. Everything about the room was in the usual order and the arms of deceased were folded upon his breast. He was over 80 years of age and for years has been a confirmed invalid from gout. Last winter the old man sued his wife for divorce, but it was refused.

Richard Ten Broeck owned the famous running horse Ten Broeck, who established three world's records, that endure to this day. On September 16, 1876, as a 4-year-old, carrying 104 pounds, he ran 2⅝ miles in 4:58½, at Lexington, Ky., in a race. At Louisville, Ky., September 27, 1876, he ran 4 miles in 7:15¾ minutes, against time. At Louisville, Ky., May 29, 1877, when 5 years old, he ran two miles in 3:27½ minutes, against time, carrying 110 pounds. Ten Broeck's son, Drake Carter, made the 3-year-old record.

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3:00 a.m......Lv Pt Gamble Lv......11:00 a.m.
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11:00 a.m......Lv Everett Lv...... 9:45 a.m.
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MANITOBA QUARANTINED.

North Dakota Proclaims Non-Intercourse, After the Fashion of Vancouver.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 1.—North Dakota has closed its doors against Manitoba on account of the existence of smallpox cases in this province. Quarantine has been declared by the issuing of a proclamation by Governor Burke, of North Dakota. He declares absolute quarantine along the entire extent of the northern boundary of the state of North Dakota against the province of Manitoba, until such time as the health officer of the Province and the superintendent of public health of North Dakota shall become convinced that danger to citizens no longer exists.

During the existence of this quarantine no personal communication shall be held by parties on either side of the boundary line, except that the health officers shall, with the consent of the province of Manitoba, be allowed, under proper regulations, to cross and recross the boundary line, when it is found necessary to communicate with each other regarding the said disease.

All passengers and freight trains scheduled to run through the district quarantined will only be allowed to run to the boundary line, and, in no case, to cross the said line while this quarantine endures.

Agents in charge of mails are to be accorded an armed guard for protection at points where they meet each other at the boundary for the exchange of mails.

This means that all railway traffic between Manitoba and North Dakota will be stopped for some indefinite period.

The proclamation is a great injustice to Winnipeg and Manitoba. In this city not a single smallpox case exists, and, in the province, the only places where the disease has appeared are Gretna, Morden and Rhineland. Five cases are isolated at a safe distance from the town of Gretna, nearly all of which are Chinese.

At Rhineland, Rev. Mr. Small has a mild attack, and no cases are known now to exist in Morden.

Premier Greenway, when interviewed, expressed great surprise at the absurd action taken by Governor Burke, and leaves for Bismarck to interview the governor.

TASHKEND RIOTERS.

Murderous Conflict Between Natives and Russian Troops, Caused by the Cholera

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—Cholera has made its appearance in the prison at Tomsk, the capital of the government of that name, in West Siberia. Already ten cases and eight deaths have been reported by the prison authorities.

Letters received from Tashkend, a town of Asiatic Russia, in Sir Daria, report that news in regard to serious riots in that place on July 6 in connection with the cholera epidemic have been suppressed by the government, the strictest censorship being exercised. From these letters it is learned that the native Sarts, believing that the doctors were poisoning the patients who were suffering from cholera, became greatly excited, and determined to put an end to the murderous practices which they imagined were being employed in the cases of unfortunates stricken with the terrible disease. The wildest rumors were current of cruelties inflicted by medical men in causing the immediate death of patients, and these stories had the effect of arousing the fury of the people to the highest pitch.

Five thousand Sarts suddenly invaded the Russian quarters and wrecked the residence of the deputy governor, who fled on the approach of the howling mob. His flight was discovered, however, and he was pursued and overtaken in the street by the infuriated crowd, who mercilessly vented their fury on the helpless official and maltreated him in a terrible manner. His plea for mercy was in vain, and after being trampled upon he was assaulted with a shower of stones until life had been beaten out. The authorities having become aware of the state of affairs in the town, took immediate steps to suppress the disorders and protect other officials, and a body of troops was hurried to the scene. Arriving at the place where the defiant Sarts were assembled, the troops opened fire, killing several of them. The Sarts, armed with pistols and daggers, held their ground and made desperate resistance to the soldiers. The forces closed on each other and a furious hand-to-hand fight resulted.

The maddened Sarts, when their pistols had been emptied, slashed furiously about with their daggers, doing much execution with these weapons. The drilled and better armed soldiers were unable to overcome their fanatical opponents and additional troops had to be sent to their assistance. They were reinforced by a body of Cossacks, and finally the riot was quelled and the mob dispersed. The Sarts were not disheartened, but collected around the mosques and, taking the edifices, defied the authorities to do battle with them. A large number of soldiers were dispatched to the scene and attempted to dislodge them from their strongholds. The Sarts made a a sturdy resistance to every effort of the soldiers to drive them from the buildings and fired from loopholes with telling effect upon the invaders.

The troops at last concentrated their forces and, making a grand assault, triumphantly carried the mosques, and a scene of carnage ensued. The fighting inside the structures was of the most desperate and sanguinary character. Although the Sarts found that they could not cope with their opponents, no quarter was asked for nor was any given, and they fell by scores before the soldiers' weapons. The character of the struggle may be imagined when it is known that 60 Sarts were killed and 100 wounded. The soldiers, too, suffered heavily, the Russian loss being 15 killed and many wounded. Many arrests have been made of persons concerned in the disorders. It is feared there may be a renewal of the trouble, and precautions are being taken accordingly.

Tashkend, which has a population of more than 100,000, chiefly Sarts, is the capital of Russian Turkestan. Russia has striven to make it a great city.

MOUNT ÆTNA AT WORK.

Five Craters Sending Forth Lava and Ashes, Threatening Destruction.

ROME, Aug. 1.—A number of telegrams have been received here telling of the eruption of Mount Ætna. The news is of the most alarming character and probably needs no further corroboration, as it comes through an official channel.

Five craters are in a state of activity, threatening the villages and habitations on the volcano's slope with destruction. Each one is throwing out a continuous stream of lava several yards deep and very wide, which, viewed from below, presents the appearance of rivers of fire.

These newly opened craters are enlarging, loud explosions occur continually and at intervals Catania and other towns near by are severely shaken. The sky above the mountain slopes is obscured by immense clouds of dust.

The poor people of the neighborhood, who had begun to return to their old homes, have again been put to flight, and many have been injured.

In spite of many obstacles in its path the principal lava stream is slowly making its way down the mountain slope. Alarmed at its progress authorities have dispatched men to impress upon the inhabitants the wisdom of making their escape from the approaching flood.

To stay its progress is beyond the power of science. There is, however, no fear that any such catastrophe as that which overwhelmed Herculaneum and Pompeii will befall any of the hamlets which cluster around the mountain's base, for Ætna is not a volcano that as a rule vomits forth stones and ashes, which mixed with a simultaneous eruption of steam buried the fated cities around Vesuvius. The rivers of lava, though death to the land over which they crawl, are not agents of swift destruction.

The eruption has now lasted 22 days incessantly. For a few days the output of lava decreased, but the craters never ceased their deadly work entirely.

Scientific men who have been watching Ætna say there are no signs of permanent abatement. The authorities of all Italian cities will be asked by the government to collect money for the benefit of the sufferers from this great calamity.

Not Like a Murderer.

GLASGOW, Aug. 1.—William Henderson, the man in jail here who confesses to having taken part in the murders of the Earl of Leitrim and Lord Mountmorres, is 33 years of age, and all the police know of his doings is that he passed his youth in the reformatory and was generally of bad reputation. Of his career between 1878 and 1888 they know nothing, but they think he wasn't the sort of a man to have been selected by Irish extremists to assist in such deeds as murders, in which he says he was a guilty participant.

Clovis Gets a Divorce.

LONDON, Aug. 1—Prince Clovis Bonaparte has won his suite for the annulment of his marriage to the woman known as Madame Rosalie Bonaparte. Judgment was given to this effect: That the marriage of the so-called prince, formerly known as Mr. Clovis, and before that as Mr. Richards, and who is the son of the late Prince Lucien Bonaparte, to Madame Rosalie, formerly Mrs. Megone, was null and void, on the ground that at the time of the marriage Madame Rosalie had a lawful husband, Mr. Megone.

Earl Bathurst Dead.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Allen Alexander Bathurst is dead, aged 60 years. He succeeded his uncle as the sixth Earl of Bathurst in 1878. His first wife, Muriel Sicester, daughter of Lord Detabley, died in 1872. His eldest son, born in 1864, succeeds to the title. The late Earl represented Cirencester in Parlia- from 1857 to 1878, when he entered the House of Peers.

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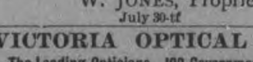

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THE COUNCIL IGNORED.

The Colonist is dishonest, as usual, in dealing with the matter of the supplies for the Ross Bay suspect station. It insinuates that the Local Board of Health, otherwise the City Council, refused to provide these supplies, which is a duty imposed upon it by the provincial health regulations. Now the fact is that Dr. Wade, presumably acting on Dr. Davie's orders, never took even the trouble to introduce himself to the Mayor and aldermen, the majority of whom did not know him by sight up to a few days ago. He completely ignored the Mayor and council, as if they had no existence, or as if they had nothing to do with the spending of the taxpayers' money. Instead of consulting them as to the requirements of the station he addressed himself to Inspector Bailey, who cannot properly be considered as the deputy of the city council in the matter of incurring civic expenditures. This was an illegal mode of procedure, and it was also extremely discourteous. We should not have expected a gentleman occupying Dr. Wade's position to act in this fashion, even at the instance of the autocratic Dr. Davie. The Council is responsible to the people for all this expenditure; if it is not regularly and legally incurred the members of the Council become individually responsible to the ratepayers for the payments made. It is astonishing that two municipal officers should have taken upon themselves to pile up liabilities for the city without even saying a word to any member of the Council on the subject. As to the matter of this morning's breakfast, the Colonist appears to have been indulging in a very silly falsehood. From the list of articles sent out to Ross Bay yesterday, enumerated in the report of an interview with Ald. Lovell, it must be inferred that the government organ lied in the most barefaced fashion for the purpose of "booming" the two Davies, or else that the suspects are gifted with tremendous appetites. The former, we believe, is the correct conclusion.

THOSE SEATTLE CASES.

The Port Townsend Leader of course tries to show that the two smallpox cases found last Saturday in Seattle were "undoubtedly the result of raising the quarantine." Here are some of the Leader's wise remarks:

> Although the quarantine was open only a few hours, yet it is understood that a great many people rushed into the city in that space of time.
>
> As might be expected under the circumstances, the first case was found in a hotel. Undoubtedly the disease was brought in by some Victoria or Vancouver guest in whom the germ of the disease was already in an advanced stage of incubation when he arrived.
>
> The short-sightedness and bad judgment of the Seattle health board brought its own speedy retribution.

One might have supposed from the Leader's previous utterances, which we quoted, that the Seattle health board had no power to raise the quarantine, and therefore did not raise it, the health officers at Port Townsend having all authority in the premises. At all events, the Leader should know, if it is not hopelessly stupid, that there was no rush of people from this city to Seattle. It should also know, since the facts were published in the Seattle papers, that neither of the two Seattle cases originated at any British Columbia point. One of the victims is a Mr. Martin, proprietor of a hotel, who has not been outside the city, and the other is Murdock Cummings, a logger, who was taken sick at Dogfish Bay a week ago and was conveyed to Seattle on a tug. Both these men must have caught the infection long before Seattle proposed to raise the quarantine, and while, as a matter of fact, the quarantine was as close as our neighbors could make it. Such being the facts, the Leader must acknowledge that its statements and surmises, quoted above, are wholly foundationless. It objects to being credited by the TIMES with "blind innorance;" perhaps it would prefer the phrase "wilful ignorance," since it takes such pains to avoid enlightenment. The Leader and the Vancouver World are evidently two of a kind.

THE PLANET MARS.

To-morrow, the fourth day of August, marks the culmination of the Martian supremacy, a period that has extended over July and will continue through the present month. In other words, Mars will reach the minimum of its ever varying distance from the earth, and will be separated from us by only 35,000,000 miles of space. This phenomena recurs every fifteen years, something over seven years being occupied in receding from the earth to a maximum distance of 140,000,000 miles, and the same period for the return to its present position. So the last visit was in 1877, and the one before that in 1862. And on these two occasions we learned more about our next door neighbor than in all the centuries of civilization before. In 1877 Astronomer Hall, of Washington, astounded the world by proclaiming the discovery of the moons of Mars. For a time he imagined he saw innumerable moons circling around the planet, but he finally discovered that there were only two, moving at such a rapid pace that it was difficult to keep track of them. It will be remembered that some months ago a rich Frenchwoman bequeathed a large sum of money to be awarded to the first man who succeeded in establishing communication with the inhabitants of the planet Mars. If any attempt were to be made in this direction it would be made during one of these periods of proximity. But as even the Lick telescope only reduces the distance to 17,500 miles, there seems to be little probability of any very animated conversation between the two planets. Mars is an older planet than ours. There are those who claim that we will find absolute evidence during these observations of its decadence. Prof. A. Winchell affirms that Mars was habitable nine and a half million years ago, and that our observations now will be convincing of its refrigeration. But Prof. Holden, Prof. Hall, Prof. Pickering and Camille Flammarion oppose this theory, and adduce most interesting observations not only to prove that Mars has an atmosphere, but that its climate is very much like that of our own planet. From now until September or October thousands of telescopes will be leveled at the ruddy planet in order to obtain data that will lead to a definite conclusion regarding the habitability of Mars. In the past fifteen years vast improvements have been made in astronomical instruments and in photographic appliances, and it is probable that discoveries will be made during the coming month even more important than those of Prof. Hall in 1877.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

President Harrison has not yet exercised the power given him by the recent act of Congress of imposing heavy tolls on Canadian vessels passing through the Sault canal, but there seems to be no reason to doubt that he will do so, unless the Dominion Government changes its canal policy. Certain jingoes urge the Government to retaliate by imposing equally prohibitory tolls on American shipping at the Welland canal. The probable result of this would be further retaliation by the States in the shape of an embargo on the Canadian railways. No man need be told how serious the consequences to the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific would be if they were suddenly deprived of the privilege of freely transacting business in United States territory. The two railways and the jingoes will hardly agree on this question of retaliation, and fortunately the voice of the railway companies is likely to prevail at Ottawa.

Toronto dispatches state that the opponents of separate schools in Ontario have some idea of asking ex-Attorney General Martin of Manitoba to head their crusade. Mr. Martin has succeeded so well in Manitoba that they think he has but to become a member of the Ontario Legislature in order to bring about the abolition of separate schools in that Province. But the conditions are widely different in the two provinces. In Manitoba, as shown by the Privy Council judgment, the separate school system was not established by law before the Province entered Confederation. In Ontario and Quebec, on the other hand, it was so established, the Catholic minority in Ontario and the Protestant minority in Quebec possessing the privilege by express enactment of the Legislature. There can be no doubt on this point; and no court, from the lowest to the highest, would give judgment against the minority in either province on the separate school question. Separate schools can be abolished in Ontario only when the Provincial Legislature the Dominion Parliament and the Imperial Parliament concurrently enact such legislation as will repeal section 93 of the British North America Act. Mr. Joseph Martin, we should suppose, is too shrewd to undertake any such hopeless mission as this, even if the Ontario opponents of separate schools are foolish enough to believe that he would have a chance of success.

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

THERE are some few enthusiastic people who believe that a canned meat factory would pay good dividends to the promoters in this city. As far as I know there is none at present existing in the Dominion, all of this class of business being corralled by our American cousins. There is no doubt a goodly trade done in these goods by the local merchants, and our sealers, ships and coasting craft are large buyers of preserved beef. Now, as a distributing point for this section of the country, Victoria undoubtedly stands supreme; its distance from Great Britain, however, would forbid anything like export business to the Mother Country. The Asiatic countries, China, Japan and India, are beginning to be fairly large buyers of tinned meats, and presuming that we could compete with the United States product, we might secure a fair portion of this trade. What are the difficulties? First and foremost the want of capital. The moneyed men of this community prefer mostly to lend on mortgage, speculate in land or build large blocks rather than venture in industrial concerns. And until an industry is established, it is difficult to obtain "sinews of war" from even the credulous British public. Yet with a likely scheme, capital could probably be obtained. Next, labor is dearer than in Chicago, St. Louis or Kansas City, the three great centres of this business, and I greatly fear that any attempt made to introduce a cheapened labor bill, either by the importation of colored or foreign labor, would unpopularise the scheme with many of our citizens. Next, tin plates and boxes are an important item in the cost of the canned meat industry, and in this item the raw material is as cheap in British Columbia as in the States. Lastly, the cattle, sheep and hogs are not produced by the local farmer, although this province in many parts might produce in prodigious quantities if the large tracts of unsurveyed uncultivated land were properly utilized. The cost of transportation from the other side of the Rockies is a serious obstacle, but the creation of the Canada Western would largely reduce costs in this particular. Visions of the great possibilities of Victoria as a meat-canning centre rose before my mind. I saw troops of laborers employed in the factory; large tanneries erected to utilize the hides and curriers producing the upper leather; tons of tallow being melted into soap by the employees of W. J. Pendray, and numberless smaller industries arising out of the business. Well, well, it may come; visions may become realities, and Victoria become the great manufacturing centre of British Columbia, as she has long been its commercial mistress and residential attraction.

I usually follow Mayor Beaven in his proposals for the general weal of Victoria. Cautious but shrewd, careful and critical, he rarely suggests any scheme, except it be for the general good. I confess, however, that his latest views upon the acquirement by the city of the Jubilee Hospital do not meet with my approval. For it is manifest that should the hospital become a civic institution, the charitable will cease to regard it as a suitable object for their charity. If the hospital is one for which the Victorian citizens are taxed, then the most philanthropic of those citizens will refuse to give towards its funds and there is no guarantee that should the city acquire the property, the Provincial Government would continue its subsidy. Indeed, the probabilities are all the other way. For it is certain that no longer Dr. Davie would then reign with supreme authority, although justice as well as prudence would allow him the same privileges as other surgeons of the city. And if Dr. Davie no longer runs the show, then his brother, the Premier, will take great care that no subsidy shall reach the coffers of the city hospital. One thing that the discussion of yesterday helped to show was this, that some of the directors, a large number of the citizens, and many of the medical men of the city are thoroughly dissatisfied with the hospital management. If any one doubts this, I will supply names, dates and circumstances to remove doubt and establish my position. Mayor Beaven's proposals were doubtless the working of this leaven of dissatisfaction. How can you expect medical gentlemen, accustomed to professional courtesy and refinement, to work with Dr. Davie, when with smirking self-conceit and inflated braggadocia he declared "it was not to be expected that he and Dr. Hannington (observe the order of their names) should educate the young doctors of Victoria." Mr. Mayor and Aldermen, my advice to you is, establish a hospital for infectious diseases and for the present let the Jubilee work out its own salvation. QUIZ.

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Genuine Boston baked beans at the Dairy Kitchen to-day. *

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Re-Opening.

Miss Laura Adams will re-open the Conservatory of Music on or about the 8th of August. *

Major Clarke Arrives.

Major Clarke, of the crofter syndicate, arrived from England last evening. He will to-day arrange for a conference with the Government to close the negotiations cut off by the death of Hon. John Robson.

A Sprained Wrist.

Mr. B. Evans, usher of the Supreme Court, is suffering from a sprained wrist. It was caused by a rail falling on his hand while he was at work on his farm at Cadboro Bay, yesterday.

To Be Considered on Monday.

The Board of Directors of the Jubilee Hospital will meet at the Board of Trade rooms at 8 o'clock on Monday evening for the purpose of considering Mayor Beaven's proposition to take over the Jubilee Hospital and make it a municipal institution.

An Unlucky Postman.

The letter carrier who was unfortunate enough to drop his registered letter book last Saturday is a poor man and if he has to make good the lost money, as is probable, it will be a great hardship. The finder of the book will perform a meritorious action by returning it to the letter carrier, or leaving it with the postmaster.

The Coquitlam Case.

The owners of the sealskins on board the steamer Coquitlam have with one exception made arrangements to put up bonds for the release of their skins. The skins are to be released on the bonds of Seattle parties, who are secured by bonds from Victorians. It is understood that Captain Webster is of opinion that the underwriters should release the steamer.

Overcome by Illness.

Last night Dominion Constable Lewis picked up on the Indian reserve a white woman of respectable appearance, who was evidently suffering from sickness With the assistance of Officer Abel she was taken to the city police station. She complained of illness, and on recommendation of City Health Officer Milne she was removed to her home.

For the Hospital.

August 21st. has been appointed by the board of directors of the Jubilee Hospital as "Hospital Sunday." The clergymen of the city have been invited to unite in their efforts to make the collections that day of as substantial a nature as possible. It is understood that all denominations will vie with one another in the generous effort to contribute to the hospital. Christ Church Cathedral is the first in the field, having returned an affirmative reply.

Westminster Review.

"The Westminister Review" for July contains the following table of contents: "Who Are the Irish Loyalists?" by Thomas Scanlon; "A Mohammedan on Mohammedanism," by D. F. Hannigan; "The Old Irish Parliament;" "Christian Monasticism;" "The Tyranny of Canvassing," by Joseph J. Davies; "A Plea for Justice," by Walter Snoad; "The Equity of the Rural Wage-Rate," by Compton Reade; "The Immigration Problem in America;" "Contemporary Literature;" "The Drama."

Doherty and Winger Discharged.

The hearing of the case of the boy William Winger, committed for trial on a charge of an unnatural crime, came up before Mr. Justice Walkem today under the Speedy Trials Act. After hearing the particulars of the case His Lordship discharged the prisoner on the ground of insufficient evidence. As the charge against Doherty was based on the same evidence, he also was discharged. His Lordship took occasion to give Winger and Doherty some wholesome advice, which they are not likely to forget.

Dr. Smith in Victoria.

Few veterinary institutions on the continent enjoy as good a reputation as the Ontario Veterinary College of Toronto, of which Dr. Smith is founder and president. Dr. Smith is now on a visit to Mr. S. Tolmie at Cloverdale, and is renewing acquaintance with several of his former pupils who have taken up their abode in Victoria. Dr. Smith is a Scotchman, and won his way to the front by hard struggles with adversity in his younger days, the experience of almost every man who is at the front in anything. Dr. Smith will remain in the city a few weeks.

The Result of a Wrestle.

A young man named Cody was taken out to the Jubilee Hospital yesterday suffering from a broken leg. The night before he and a companion named Thornley, having been matched to wrestle for the drinks by several friends, adjourned to a vacant lot on Douglas street and began operations. The contestants both fell heavily locked in each other's embrace, and as a result Cody's leg was broken a short distance above the ankle. Officer Cameron chanced a long and noticing the gathering made inquiries. On learning what had happened he had Cody taken to the Vancouver Hotel, where Dr. Watt set the fractured bone.

At the Police Court.

The case of J. L. Farwig, charged with doing business as a pawnbroker without a license, was continued at the police court this morning. The evidence for the prosecution was to the effect that Miss Lowe, the complainant, on the 24th of May pawned a sewing machine with Farwig for $9, which he subsequently sold. The defence stated that Farwig bought the machine, and Mr. Hall, who appeared for the defendant, submitted that even had the defendant lent money on the machine, one such transaction would not constitute an infraction of the by-law. The court reserved judgment till Saturday. Ah Si paid $8 for driving through Beacon Hill Park, and an information against Richard Hall of allowing thistles to grow on his property was dismissed. Another man owned the lot.

Dr. Davie's Report.

Following is Dr. Davie's report issued last night:

PROVINCIAL HEALTH OFFICE,
Midnight, Aug. 2, 1892.

NANAIMO—No cases in city or district.

NEW WESTMINSTER—Three cases.

VANCOUVER CITY—Four cases; two deaths; All patients in quarantine hospital at Deadman's Island.

VANCOUVER DISTRICT—Moodyville, 1; Hastings, 2.

VICTORIA CITY—No cases.

JUBILEE HOSPITAL QUARANTINE, two miles from business centre—Sixty-one cases. No new cases; none discharged; no deaths.

(Signed) J. C. DAVIE, M.D.,
Provincial Health Officer.

Donations Acknowledged.

The ladies' committee of the P. O. Home acknowledge the following donations for June and July: Milk, Mr. G. Rogers, Mr. Hooper, Mr. Winter; clothing, Mrs. Goodacre, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. M. Salmon, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Christie, Miss Mathews, Mrs. Sydney Smith, Mrs. Morrison; icecream, Mr. Cleaver, Lewtas & Sons; fruit, Mr. Brocklehurst (6 pails), Mr. Newlands, Mrs. Wastie Green, Mrs. Bartlett, Mr. Andean, Mr. Worlock, Mr. Short, Mrs. Henderson; toys and candies, Jubilee Hospital Bazzar; cake and confections, Young People's Association, St. Andrew's Sunday school; vegetables, Capt. Knight, Mrs. Winter, Mr. Henly; invitation to Union Sunday school picnic; invitation to visit Mr. Andean's grounds; patch quilt, Mrs. Redfern.

Deprived of Smallpox.

A representative of the TIMES met Dr. Milne, city health officer, this morning and enquired:

"Any smallpox in stock, doctor?"

"All sold out," replied the doctor laughing, "I've disposed of that branch of business and am now attending to regulation health work."

"How is the city's health?"

"Good."

"Any fresh cases of smallpox?"

"Don't know, don't know. You know I can't talk smallpox any more. You will have to enquire elsewhere for information regarding that and other pestilences."

"Leprosy and cholera marked off your list too?"

The doctor smiled but did not reply.

From the Japan Coast.

The San Diego, the first sealing schooner to arrive from the Japan coast, dropped her anchor in James Bay last evening. She has 2069 skins, which had been obtained since the 21st of January, at which time she left San Francisco. The weather was very disagreeable off the Japan coast, most of the seals being caught in 30 days during May. The following schooners were spoken on the Japan coast: Sophie Sutherland, Portland, 1100; Kate and Annie, San Francisco, 600; Penelope, Victoria, all well June 14th, 515; and Ivanhoe, 1100. The schooners Walter E. Earle and Beatrice of Vancouver were seen on their way over to the Russian side. The latter had only enough provisions for a short cruise. No seals were seen after the middle of June, and Captain Nielson supposes that they are now all in Behring sea. He advises the sealing captains not to go into Russian waters, as the officers of the Czar are on the lookout for them.

Officers Elected.

At the regular meeting of the Young Ladies' Institute No. 23 held last evening at the bishop's palace, the following officers were elected:—President, Miss McDowell; first vice-president, Miss Skinner; second vice-president, Miss McGeoghegan; treasurer, Mrs. Leonard; financial secretary, Miss Gilligan; recording secretary, Miss Baines; marshall, Miss Kerg; inside sentinel, Miss Finerty; outside sentinel, Miss Campbell; board of directors—Mrs. Behnson, Mrs. Teporten, Miss Dwyer, Mrs. Teague and Miss Leslouis. After the installation Mrs. Lang, on behalf of the Institute, presented the President, Miss McDowell, with a handsome gold locket and chain. The former had a monogram on one side, and on the other the words, "Y.L.I. to Miss McDowell," were engraved. Miss McDowell thanked the members for their kind gift in a few well-chosen words. The Institute will hold a social shortly.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Progressive Commerce.

Spot cash is the order of the day. We want money to carry on our large and increasing business. To get this money we have reduced prices for the vast stock we hold to an alarming extent. The immense reductions made would form a good capital for a small firm. Thirty to fifty per cent. discount on $150,000 worth of stock is one of the boldest things attempted yet in the province. Yet we are doing it for these reasons: We are buying enormously, paying promptly for our goods, wish to increase our connection and build up the biggest trade in B. C. Our sale commenced on Monday, and is forging ahead. Ladies, you want a bedroom, parlor, or drawing room suite, or one of our lovely sideboards, or a comfortable, artistic chair, or a bright and pretty carpet, or many things in crockery, glassware, lamps and cutlery. Sehl-Hastie-Erskine, 66 and 68 Government street, will sell them to you at far less than auction prices. *

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead"
Who never to himself hath said,
Why don't my boys get work?
Believe you me this you'll remedie, [Chinee,
By keeping your clothes from the Heathen
And sending them all to the Steam Laundrie.

Get your tailoring done by white labor at T. M. Graham's Blue Front Store, 148 Government street. *

Try the Dairy Kitchen; something new and very popular. *

Phœnix Lager Beer.

ROBERTSON'S STRANGE CONDUCT.

He Leaves a Note Telling His Landlady That He Will Be "No More" Shortly.

The Police Search All Day But Fail to Find the Missing Man—Still Searching.

The police have been searching all day for J. Robertson, an agent for a Toronto photograph company, who is supposed to have made away with himself.

Robertson has been blue for some time on different accounts. He told the lady at whose residence he was boarding that he wanted to go away but could not on account of the quarantine. She told him that if it was money matters that was bothering him he need not trouble as he could remain at her house as she knew he would pay her when he could. He said he must go and that was the last she saw of him.

This morning she found a note which Robertson had left for her. He said that before she read the note he would be no more. The police were immediately notified and have been looking for the missing man ever since.

Robertson was a well dressed, gentlemanly looking man of between 30 and 40 years of age. He wore a dark gray suit, had dark hair and a heavy dark moustache. It is said that he had had family troubles which may account for his disappearance.

HAD LITTLE TO SAY.

His Worship the Mayor, Cannot Give an Opinion on the Breakfast Question.

Mayor Beaven was very busy with a mass of miscellaneous business this morning when he politely invited a TIMES man to take a seat at the big writing table in the centre of the mayoral parlor.

"Well," said His Worship, laying down his pen and leaning back in the ample chair of state, "what can I do for you?"

"An editorial note in the Colonist this morning alleges that the suspects at Ross Bay station have been prevented from getting their breakfast through the obstruction of the civic authorities; is such the case, sir?"

"I do not know anything about it, as I have not read the article to which you refer."

"Have you anything to say about the matter?"

"Nothing, except that to the best of my knowledge and belief the people at Ross Bay received their breakfast as usual this morning. There is nothing that I know of to cause a contrary opinion to be held."

"Then you have nothing to say about the charges being made against the civic authorities with respect to their part of the work of attending to the cases?"

"No, I don't think there is anything I can say about it. If you wish information about these matters you had better see Ald. Lovell, who has just left the room. He knows more about it than I do; he will no doubt tell you something about the matter."

This being all that his Worship seemed inclined to say, the newspaper man withdrew.

THERE IS NO STARVATION.

On the Contrary High Feeding Seems the Rule at Ross Bay Suspectory.

When Ald. John B. Lovell was run to earth in Sanitary Officer Bailey's office this forenoon after a hot chase by a TIMES reporter, he was up to the crown of his well balanced head in solid, unadulterated business, and was going through the manual exercise with a big portentious pen, signing his name to various documents, blue and white, which were heaped up on both sides in stacks. His brow was wet with honest sweat, as he looked up when the shadow of the newspaper man fell across his blotter, and he acknowledged that it was hot by saying, "Phew!" and wiping the dews of labor from his forehead with a white silk handkerchief.

"Starved! The Ross Bay suspects starved! Well I guess not. Who said it? The Colonist. Oh!"

There was a profundity about that "oh" that caused the conversation to take a short rest. Then the worthy alderman resumed.

"I don't think the people at Ross Bay ran the remotest chance of missing their breakfast this morning. Now, I am going to tell you what is done to feed them. There are about 90 people all told, about 20 of them guards."

"What are the guards for?"

"Oh, to see that the patients don't extend their walks out of sight, and also to see that no whiskey is smuggled in."

"Whiskey?"

"Yes, there have been deliberate attempts to smuggle whiskey into the place, but I don't think they can do it now very well. But, as I was saying, about the victualling of the station, the baker was authorized to supply bread as ordered; similar instructions were given the milkman. He supplies between 11 and 12 gallons daily. Yesterday the following supplies were sent out, and you can judge for yourself whether there was enough for breakfast this morning:—One pail lard, 1 box each of fresh eggs, sweet crackers, fresh tomatoes, grapes, peaches, a large quantity of fresh salmon, ½ a carcass of mutton, 30 lbs. beef, 1 mat of rice, 40 lbs. rump beef, 2 hindquarters of mutton, 3 sacks of potatoes. Not bad for a day's rations for ninety people, eh?"

"Do they order anything else?"

"Yes, they sent in for boxes of oranges, boxes of bananas, peaches and the like expensive fruit. Now, I don't think it's right that a lot of people who are not ailing at all should be fed on such expensive material. It's very well for the invalids, of course, but there are not enough of them to get away with the pile of high priced fruit that's ordered."

"The report in the Colonist, then, is an——?"

"Yes, that's it exactly," said Ald. Lovell.

A 1 shaving materials at Fox's.

MISSING YACHTSMEN.

Two Parties of Young Men Who Went Out Sailing Fail to Return.

One of the Parties Missing For a Fortnight—Where Are They?

The Rev. W. Ellison, of Metchosin, is in town asking for information regarding two young men, recent arrivals in this country. They started from Albert Head a fortnight ago with provisions for three days only, in a small sailing boat, bound for Sooke harbor, where they were to have met a friend. They were last seen by the pilots at Rocky Point ostensibly on their way to Sooke. It is supposed that some disaster has befallen them, for nothing has since been seen or heard of them. The boat was a long ship's boat, schooner-rig, with an unpainted cabin in the bow. Any information that can be obtained with regard to them, or the boat will be gladly welcomed by anxious friends.

Another party of three men, A. Daw and J. McGregor, tailors, and a friend, left McIntosh's boat house about seven o'clock last evening for Ross Bay, intending to return home before 10 o'clock last night. They, however, had not returned at a late hour this afternoon, and their friends have been making anxious inquiries for them. The wind was blowing on shore last night so it is thought that they might have been blown into one of the small bays along the coast.

They wanted another friend to accompany them, but thinking that they were not very well acquainted with sailing a boat he refused to go.

A party of friends will go out to the different bays this evening to see if they cannot find some traces of the missing men.

A Question of Time.

The Colonist undertakes to show that the case of the Baker family, who were driven from their home by the fumigators and had to pass the night in the rain, occurred under the regime of Dr. Milne. That is a mistake; it was during the interregnum when Dr. Davie was interfering so much with Dr. Milne, just before the celebrated order-in-council was issued, and it was a question whether Dr. Davie or Dr. Milne had the power. Dr. Davie took for granted he had it and Dr. Milne was too busy with more important business to pay much attention to him or his doings, but did the best he could in face of the obstacles thrown in his path.

Real Estate.

Mr. Beaumont Boggs yesterday sold two lots on Oak Bay water front to Mr. Gus Leiser, who will erect a cottage. The price was about $1200.

The Tolmie Land Co. sold five lots in block 32, Hillside avenue, yesterday to Mr. Tassell, on which ten houses are already in course of erection. The price was about $600 per lot. A short time ago the same purchaser bought three lots in the Prior estate, on which he is finishing a comfortable residence.

Page & Winnett yesterday sold to Messrs. Alex. Tremblay, Louis Brule, and Henry Siepman, four lots in section 31, Hillside avenue, on which eight two-story houses will be put up this summer.

From the Quarantine Station.

The report from the Jubilee quarantine station this afternoon at 3:30 was to the effect that there were no fresh cases, no deaths, and all the invalids doing well. From the Ross Bay came the cheering intelligence that all the suspects were prospering, two were discharged this morning, and that notwithstanding the Colonist's editorial to the contrary all the inmates in the place breakfasted and that heartily. The telephonist alleged that Dr. Davie hustled up breakfast for the crowd, but in face off his other statement that the greater portion of the victuals ordered by the city had been received the night before, somewhat takes the keen edge of that gentleman's charitable act.

"Why don't you send down a man for a week?" queried the Ross Bay telephonist.

"Oh, we leave that sort of thing for the morning papers; our men count; the morning papers can spare half a dozen and nobody and the wiser."

"Well, that's largely a matter of opinion."

"Well, that's largely our opinion. Good bye."

In the Woodshed.

The facts in the Baker case, where a woman and five children were out in the rain all night because the house was being fumigated, are different from the statement published. Two rooms in the house were to be left unfumigated that the woman and children could sleep in them over night. Mrs. Baker was told not to open the doors and was entrusted with the keys. She did open the doors rendering the rooms uninhabitable. She had to seek refuge in the woodshed with her children where the party spent the night.

For Behring Sea.

The C. P. N. Company's steamer Danube will leave Esquimalt harbor at 7 o'clock to-night, carrying mails and supplies for the warships in Behring Sea. The trip will occupy about a week. The stores will be transferred to the Melpomene and Daphne at Ounalaska, which are expected to leave for Esquimalt about the beginning of September.

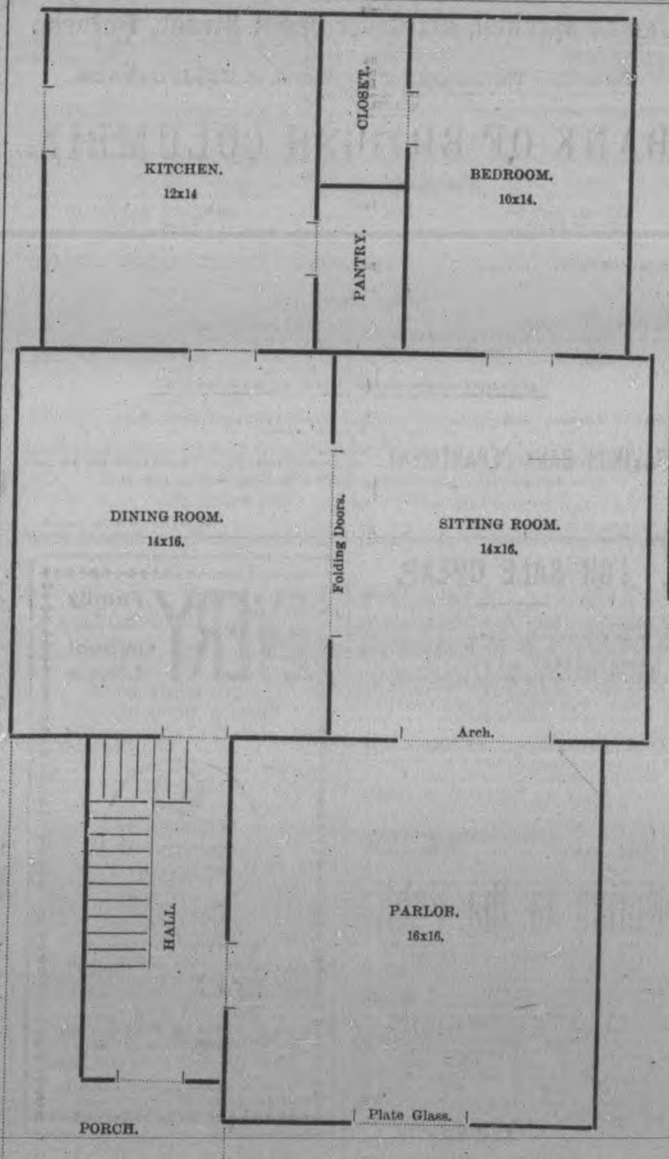
With Victoria's Compliments.

A clerk at the city hall was busy this morning mailing about directories of British Columbia which are to be sent to the different coast cities with the compliments of the city of Victoria. A number will also be sent to the large cities of the east and the old country.

Small Salmon Catch.

A private letter received from Alert Bay Canning Company, states that the catch of that concern this season has been very small and only 2000 cases have been put up so far.

Fine fishing tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street.



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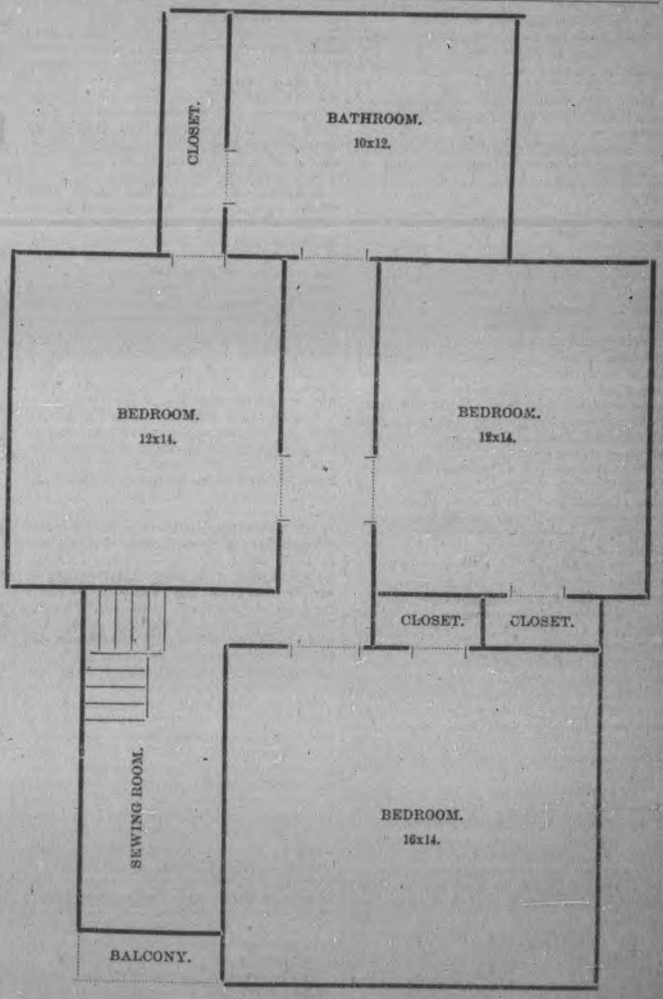

SECOND STORY
SCALE 1-6 OF INCH TO FOOT

The above houses, situated on Stanley Avenue, opposite Dunsmuir's Castle, will be sold on easy terms to suit purchasers. This is the choicest location in the city, being high, well-drained and healthy. The houses are well finished, and have Electric Light and Electric Bells throughout, and all modern conveniences. Why pay rent when we can sell you a beautiful home on your own terms!

TOLMIE LAND CO., Trounce Avenue.

SOME OLD CATHEDRAL TOWNS.

The City of Exeter, Its Glorious Environment, Sunny Aspect and Noble Cathedral.

The Pleasures of Wandering Through the Historic and Glorious Scenes of Ancient Lands.

EXETER, England, July 2.—Nature wears other aspects than those of sunshine and gladness in these "tight little" British islands.

But you find a sovereignty of elation and exultation in wandering alone among the historic and scenic glories of any land. A good staff or stick, a stout pair of legs, a receptive mind and above all a cheery and sympathetic heart, whatever your luck, are the regal companions for such loiterings.

And nature never fails to appear to single devotees at her myriad doors and windows with radiant welcomings. How witching is even this foggy morning, half disclosing the wondrous charms of valley, mead and stream! At times scarcely can your hand be seen before you for the strange eddies, curlings and fantastic convolutions of the fog. There is your road, hard as "British conservatism," beneath your feet—one of the best and surest and most beautiful ways in all the world, bringing to the heart of the American wanderer upon it the keen and patriotic pang that those of his grander land are so shamed by honest comparison.

Drip, drip, drip from the leaves of the hedges into water basins of rock, the great drops striking like silver pellets upon swinging glass; until the very chimes of the fairies are rung in your ears beside the road. Not a rod away, but invisible, rivulets of the night's making wimple from rocks to pools, in all manner of melodic runs, from the staccato of tenor trills to the baritone minors of stately psalms.

Here and there, as the heavy breezes move a trifle, come the hesitant pipe of stirring bird, the patter of wild hares' feet upon the slippery leaves, the shuffling scamper of some skulking pheasant, the complaining chatter of rooks and daws, the half caught, hoarse resonance of hidden waterfall, while faint and far and strangely muffled, from little hamlets in the distance, the notes of school bells steal faintly along the folds of the clinging mist.

But in the cheery old English inn, in the presence of muffins white as snow, bacon crisp and brown, an omelet as yellow as a frost painted beech leaf, a jug of clotted cream as sweet as a nut kernel and a fragrant brewing of tea in the delft pot under the "cosey," you have reason to rejoice in the blood tingle that comes from doing a half dozen miles before breakfast over a perfect road, through a genuine British fog.

It was on such a morning that I came over the east Devonshire hills and halted at a wayside inn, still high up among their wooded heights, as I neared the old cathedral town of Exeter. As the fog lifted I could see from my inn window cart after cart jogging comfortably on to the Saturday market day sales in Exeter. From the bustling good wife of the inn I inquired the distance they had come.

"From 'round about Bow, Copplestone and North Tawton," she answered.

"And how far is the farthest of those places?" I asked.

"North Tawton may be likes ten or twelve mile, sir, at least from Exeter."

I told her I thought that a good distance for a heavily laden cart drawn by only one horse.

"Contrarywise," she retorted cheerily, "many comes from far beyond Eggesford and Chulmleigh, twenty-five mile, sir, by hill and dip; and many carts, sir, do be loaded as heavy as a ton and a half and two tons, sir. American beasties 'aven't the might of Devon cattle, I'm told, sir," she concluded half quizzically.

Quite right she was, I told her. But I clipped the wings of her honest Devonshire pride by also relating, may the saints forgive me! how we did not require that sort of cattle in America; as we had railways between all villages, all over our farms (I could have truthfully said, railway mortgages), did chores on roller skates, and went to the milking and visited neighbors in tram cars propelled by electricity; for all of which she made me pay handsomely at the reckoning.

That morning, all the way to Exeter, alongside those huge carts which bowled along under their great loads as easily as over a cathedral floor, and in a thousand other places on the highways of England, Ireland and Scotland, I have inexpressibly longed for the power to bodily transfer some of these grand old roads to our country; to make American millionaires, who may still have American pride left in them, see their beauty, magnificence and utility beyond those of all things money and patriotism can give to communities; and to compel American farmers to know what might be the matchless independence of their lives and living with these perfect defenses for their toil and homes and granaries against most of the monopolistic and "corner" abominations of our land.

In five years' time I have tramped along 3,000 miles of British roads. Each time I step my feet upon their broad, firm, even surface every drop of American blood in me tingles with shame at the thought of the mud pikes and bottomless road sloughs of our own splendid country—rich, great and strong enough to match the roads of Europe without a week's delay. And yet for five months of every year, and in a lesser degree for the other seven, half the people of our farming communities are imprisoned and impoverished helplessly at home. As one result the people of the whole country pay, in an indirect road tax, through annual sharp advances on all food necessities of life, all of which the farmers lose, a sum each year enormous enough to maintain as superb roads as England anywhere possesses, around every section of cultivable land in the entire United States.

But our wise American economists, and our unwise and often suspicious and shiftless farmers who, in the fall, winter and early spring months, prefer to resentfully brood over their filled and rotting granaries and build new political parties rather than build good roads, both retort:

"Ah, but the grand English roads you so glibly write about have been centuries in building. How can we accomplish, in a year or a generation, what has required 2,000 years' labor for perfection there?"

This would be good argument were it true. But it is not. There is not a British, or for that matter a European, stone road in existence that was not originally at once constructed to absolute completion, whenever begun and however long it may have been maintained. And, with European governmental and social conditions inconceivably hard upon peasant populations, wherever these roads exist the condition of the people is incomparably more happy and prosperous than where they do not; while land values have invariably been increased from 100 to 1,000 per cent.

Not so many years ago Austria built nearly 2,000 miles of stone highway up and down and from end to end of Galicia, or Austrian Poland. Previous to that time, materially, a no more wretched, God forsaken land existed on the face of the earth. What was the result? In less than ten years' time these roads did more for the 6,000,000 people of Austrian Poland in material and social advancement than all the churches, all the books, all the newspapers, all the battles, all the railways and all the governments had ever accomplished for them from the days of Mieczyslaw and Boleslas to the day these roads were done.

Cannot some of the expensive and high art frills of that great Columbian exposition at Chicago be trimmed a little, and thus make room for a road exhibit—not in inaccessible dabs and bits in a dozen different departments, but in one generous and comprehensive department? Then the millions of visitors, including city and suburban folk everywhere whose health and pleasure largely depend on good roads, as well as farmers whose betterment and comfort would be incalculably augmented by perfect roads, would carry away with them a knowledge and purpose which would not only add billions to our national wealth, but make, in good time, our broad land bloom and blossom fairer than the sweetest garden spots in all this old and worn out Europe?

With such thoughts as these I came, with the carts and cartmen, along the brow of the hills skirting the noble valley of the Exe, to ancient Exeter, which looks far away to the warm green sea that beats upon the red cliffs of Devon.

It was in ancient days an old British town, built long before Cæsar, and called Caer Isc, or the city on the river. Antiquarians observe that, like most Celtic trading towns, it was built for safety some little distance from the sea, and just beyond where the river Exe ceases to be navigable. Discovered coins of the Greek dynasty in Syria and Egypt prove that Phœnician merchants must have come here many years before Christ to trade for Cornish and Dartmoor tin. Then the Romans marched in and made it a great station. Lastly the Saxons fortified the town on the Exe, and traded here with the Cornish Britons across the Tamar.

The Exe was the frontier then for the Damnonians, but Athelstan came and drove them pellmell into Cornwall and rebuilt the walls of Exeter. The Cornish Britons, cooped up among the rocks of Cornwall, soon had their avengers. The Danes came crowding up the Exe with their black sails and black banners and wintered in Exeter in 876, rejoicing in Saxon beeves and ale. The old red tower, still seen in the Rougemont ruins of today, was always getting beaten about by stones from military engines and chipped by crossbow bolts. William the Conqueror besieged it, wishing to sieze Githa, mother of Harold, and her daughter, but they escaped safely to Bruges, while Perkin Warbeck, as "Richard IV," when joined by the Cornishmen of Bodmin, besieged the place, but unsuccessfully, and was finally hanged at Tyburn.

And so on and on runs the grim story that has left just enough scar and hardiness on the lovely, leafy old city to add a mellow charm to all you may see and know. Fifty thousand folk do not live together in a more winsome spot in England. The embowered Devon hills which surround it, the glorious valleys which reach their greens and blooms to its very doors, the grand sweep of the Exe vale to the sea, the city's noble old antiques, its beautiful streets, half in the shadows of a remote architectural past and half in the sunshine of modern elegance and adornment, give everything upon which you look a sweet and winsome face.

It all blends in that fine sunset glow which some of these old cathedral towns take on so fittingly. The pleasant seeming smiles back to you from polished panes, from snow white old arches, from bright red roofs and brighter red banks of roses, from marvelously clean stone steps and areaways, from bits of ancient tiling, from doorknobs and brasses glittering like burnished gold, from the snuggest and trimmest of shop windows; indeed, from all things that can tell of substantial, well kept age without the semblance of a wrinkle or a frown upon it.

You feel this sense of radiating heartiness and amplitude again in Exeter around the market places on these pleasant market days. All the country folk gathered here are well garmented, comfortable and cheery. They all look as though they had stepped out of the "merrie old England" of the books, now so hard to find outside of the covers of those books. Pride glows in their faces for old Devon and Exeter its capital, and in themselves. They do say Dickens found his "Fat Boy," of Dingley Dell, among them. And well he might, for they are fat and fine and stanch, one and all. Rosy, overlapping jowls and big paunches, suggestive of plum puddings and the famous "clotted cream" of Devon, are everywhere among them.

You are thus in love with Exeter long before you have many times wandered up and down Queen and High streets, sauntered through the arcade of Chapel street, peering into the old half timbered structures that cluster in stately fashion around the wide cathedral close, and have at last come among the silences within the great cathedral walls. A pedant can alone tell another the exactitudes and measurements of such a mossy, massive, marvelous edifice. Coming one by one to England's splendid cathedrals, you will at least surely remember of them all those impressions upon your mind and heart which seemed most powerfully characteristic of each.

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CITY OF VICTORIA.

COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment of 1892 as made by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, will be held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Victoria, on Monday, the 22nd day of August, A.D. 1892, at 10 o'clock a.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
July 21, 1892. (td)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the shareholders of the Kootenay Powder Works Company, Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the Company, Room 7, Five Sisters Block, Victoria, on the 11th day of August, at the hour of 11 a.m., for the purpose of electing Directors and adopting by-laws for the due management of the affairs of the Company.

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FRED. H. WORLOCK, } Trustees.
G. L. MILNE. }
WM. H. DANBY, Sec'y. au1-10t

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City of Victoria, British Columbia.

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SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tenders for Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before Saturday, the 20th August, 1892, at 4 p.m., for the purchase of debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B.C., amounting to $185,000 or thereabouts, in sums of $2000 each, payable in 25 years from date of issue, and bearing interest at 5 per centum per annum with principal and interest payable in currency either in Montreal, Canada, or New York, U.S.A.

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De. 8:00 A M	De. 3:04 P M		VICTORIA	Ar. 12:24 P M	Ar. 8:30 P M	78
8:04	3:08	1	RUSSELL'S	12:20	7:56	77
8:14	3:16	4	ESQUIMALT	12:10	7:48	74
8:39	3:38	11	GOLDSTREAM	11:45 A M	7:38	67
9:14	4:05	20	SUMMIT SIDING	11:10	6:59	58
9:37	4:27	28	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	10:50	6:37	50
9:44	4:37	31	COBBLE HILL	10:40	6:27	47
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10:07	4:59	38	KOKSILAH	10:17	6:05	40
10:12	5:04	40	DUNCAN'S	10:12	6:00	38
10:22	5:12	43	SOMENOS	10:02	5:52	35
10:48	5:32	48	CHEMAINUS	9:36	5:32	30
11:09	5:49	59	OYSTER BAY SID'G	9:15	5:15	19
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CONSIDERING BY-LAWS.

Some Matters of Importance Taken Up at Last Night's Meeting of the Council.

A Sum of $100,000 Proposed for a City Hospital—The Estimates—Sewerage and Drainage.

The City Council met in special session last evening for the purpose of considering by-laws. Mayor Beaven and all the aldermen were present.

Ald. Munn moved the second reading of the estimate by-law. The council went into committee to consider it. It passed through committee without any discussion. The by-law calls for the following appropriations:

Auditor, seven months, at $41.66, $291.62; fire department engineer, No. 3, $300; board of health, all purposes, $15,000; park, $200; police, keep of prisoners, $1000; fire department fuel, $300; fuel for chemical engine, $300; education, $2000; streets, bridges and sidewalks, $5000; advertising and printing, $1000; postage, $200; and $1000 for the Jubilee Hospital.

The by-law was reported complete, and then finally passed.

The by-law for the purpose of borrowing $60,000 for electric light purposes was reported complete with amendments.

The market by-law amendment by-law was reconsidered and finally passed.

The streets grade by-law was reconsidered and finally passed.

The water rates by-law was finally passed.

The by-law to authorise the council to raise $—— to erect and maintain a city hospital was read a first time.

In moving the second reading of the by-law, Ald. McKillican said the object of the by-law was to cope with such occurrences as took place this year.

There was some little discussion as to what amount should be asked for. It was finally decided to insert $100,000, to be changed if found necessary.

The motion to insert $100,000 carried, also the resolution that the rate of interest upon the debentures be 4½ per cent. This by-law takes effect on August 26th if passed by the ratepayers on the 17th. The by-law was reported complete with amendments and adopted.

The by-law granting the Board of Health $50,000 was finally adopted.

The surface drainage by-law to spend $50,000 on surface drains was read a first and second time and committed. After a lengthy discussion upon the advisability or otherwise of surface drains, the committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

The council adjourned a few minutes before midnight, to meet again this evening.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

Appointment of a High School Headmaster Deferred for a Season

The regular meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held last evening. Chairman Hayward occupied the chair and there were present D. W. Morrow, W. McConnan, H. Saunders and J. McKay. After reading the minutes of the last meeting, the secretary read the following

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Miss F. Barron, resigning her position as teacher in the Hillside Ward school, as she had failed to obtain a certificate this year. The resignation was accepted.

The Chairman stated that Miss E. Edwards, of the Spring Ridge school, was in the same position. Her resignation was also accepted.

From Principal Burns, of the High School, asking for a board on which to place the names of successful pupils. This request, with other wants, was referred to the supply committee.

During June the average attendance at the city school was 1425.68; actual attendance, 1741; average per teacher, 51.21.

Among the bills for the past month were the janitors' accounts.

The Chairman said it had been the habit not to pay the janitors for one month during the holidays.

The accounts were all referred to the finance committee to be paid if found correct.

Architect Mallandaine reported on the steam heating in the Central School. He said the work was about finished and he considered it well done. The contractor, Mr. Stamford, was entitled to $512.50. On motion it was ordered paid. The architect's bill for $35 for fees in connection with the work was also ordered paid.

The chairman asked what the board intended to do in regard to the opening of the schools. The time set down was the 15th inst. He had seen the superintendent, who said that if the board recommended that the time be extended he thought it would be adopted.

Trustee Richards thought it would be very unwise to open the schools on the 15th. He moved that the trustees recommend that the time be extended to the first Monday in September. The motion was carried.

APPOINTMENTS.

The board went into committee of the whole with closed doors for the purpose of considering applications for vacant positions in the school.

There were twelve applications for the position of principal of the high school. The board deferred action until Tuesday, the 9th.

Miss Frances A. Smith and Miss C. A. Dowler were appointed monitors.

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CASE FOR AN INJUNCTION.

To the Editor:—The helpless condition of three men in a small sailing boat grounded on the rocks near the lighthouse yesterday brought vividly to mind the remark of Rev. Thomas Somerville in his address at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last Sunday evening, a remark which has been also beautifully expressed by William Black in one of his entertaining works and Professor John Stewart Blackie in his inimitable lectures, and the truth of which is singulary borne out by the facts. Mr. Somerville said that had MacKay, the missionary hero of Uganda, been a native of the west of Scotland instead of "awa ben in Aberdeen," he would have found no difficulty at all in navigating, and engineering as well, the small steamer on the Central African lake, when the captain of the boat died and left him in command. "Hardly has the child in the west of Scotland," said Mr Somerville, "rolled out of his cradle than he steps into a boat, and by the time he is ten years old he is a pretty good all round sailor, afraid of nothing in the way of a breeze or wave, and yet careful with all his skill". Now, sir, I watched those three men in that small boat yesterday and marvelled greatly at their unconscionable impudence in presuming to trust themselves to the tender mercies of the deep, equipped with the absolute ignorance of nautical affairs too plainly to be seen from their actions. When they had a good steady breeze and were bowling along nicely and making well to clear the lighthouse point, a stronger gust would press their lee gunnel to the water's edge and the man at the tiller would immediately run her into the wind's eye and keep the sail shaking till his courage came again. By this tomfoolery they got themselves upon the point among the rocks and had to be assisted off by the worthy lighthouse keeper. It is marvellous to me, sir, to see some of the people who dare to go out in small open sailing craft here; nine-tenths of them don't know a halyard from a reef point or a tiller from a bobstay. As the rage for injunctions is upon the people, could not some of those amiable *charges des affaires* (of other people) get out one to restrain these foolhardy individuals from thus courting a watery grave?

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Saturday, September 10.

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Stanley House	W. S. Hampson & Co.
Lansdowne House	J. M. Partridge
Manchester House	Thos. Haughton & Co.
Vancouver House	Wm. Craft
Argyle House	John Horner & Co.
Somerset House	H. Bickford
Whitlaw Estate	T. Fowls

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A FARM OF TWO HUNDRED ACRES ON West Saanich road, about eight miles from Victoria. Sixty acres good bottom land, forty acres cleared, well ditched and fenced. Price $30 per acre; half cash, balance on time. Apply to GEORGE LINDSAY,
m29-tf 3 Third street Victoria.

VACCINATION

In order that vaccination may be carried out with dispatch, the medical men of the city have arranged with me to vaccinate all those who are unable to pay free of charge, and that those who can afford to pay, a charge of $1 will be made.

The public vaccinators of the city will vaccinate free all those who are in need of vaccinating.

A certificate of vaccination will be given in every case of where the vaccination has been successful.

G. L. MILNE, M.D., Health Officer.

PROVINCIAL

Royal-Jubilee-Hospital.

Any person, other than accident cases, seeking admission into this institution, must first have an order signed by either Drs. Davie or Hanington. Visitors will not be permitted to see patients in the public wards until further orders. Any visitor wishing to see a pay patient must have an order signed by Drs. Davie or Hanington.

By order, H. M. YATES,
y14 Secretary.

PROVINCIAL

Royal Jubilee Hospital.

All patients seeking admission to the above named institution must remain outside the grounds until examined by Dr. W. A. Richardson, Resident Medical Officer, at the gates nearest to the buildings. Directors will please only sign cards of admission subject to this order.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
jy12 President.

NOTICE.

All persons leaving the city by train or boat will have to produce a certificate of vaccination, for examination by Dr. Watt, Medical Inspector, or show the marks of recent vaccination, otherwise they will have to submit to vaccination before leaving or they will be treated as suspects.

J. C. DAVIE, M.D.,
jy21 Provincial Health Officer.

FREE VACCINATION.

Persons wishing to be vaccinated may have it performed free of charge by calling upon Dr. Powell, 89 Fort street, or Dr. Milne, 36 Douglas street, between the hours of 10 a.m. to 12 m. and 5 to 6 p.m.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
jy18 Mayor.

NOTICE.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria having adopted free vaccination, within the city, it becomes unneccessay for the Provincial Government to further assume the expense of vaccination. The Provincial notice of free vaccination is therefore cancelled.

J. C. DAVIE, M.D.,
jy18 Provincial Health Officer.

Dr. POWELL

Has taken rooms in the building occupied by Dr. Duncan, No. 89 Fort street, where he may be consulted daily from 9:30 a.m. 12 m. jy18

LEGAL NOTICES.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the City of Victoria will not be responsible for any liability in connection with "The Board of Health," which has not been authorized by the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Alderman John B. Lovell.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
July 30, 1892. Clerk Municipal Council.
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NOTICE.

In the matter of William Robie Brown, Deceased

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby requested to furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned forthwith; and all persons indebted to the said deceased are hereby requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1892.

YATES, JAY & RUSSELL,
22 Bastion street,
jy28-1m Solicitors for the Executors.

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

Bark Martha Fisher, from Liverpool.

NEITHER CAPTAIN W. MEADOWCROFT nor the undersigned will be responsible for the debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

R. P. RITHET & CO., Ltd.,
jy27-1m Agents.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

British Ship

"BEN NEVIS"

From Glasgow. J. W. GLIDDELL, Master.

THIS VESSEL will commence discharging cargo at the outer wharf to-morrow morning, 25th instant. Consignees are requested to pay freight and charges and take delivery of same. All goods left on the wharf after 5 p.m. each day will be stored at consignees' risk and expense.

ROBT. WARD & CO., LIMITED,
jy25 Agents.

ESTATE OF M. W. WAITT

(DECEASED.)

ALL claims against the late firm of M. W. Waitt & Co. must be sent to the undersigned, duly certified, on or before the 1st day of September, 1892, and all persons indebted to the above late firm, must pay their accounts by that date, otherwise they will be placed in the hands of a lawyer for collection.

From this date, until further notice, no credit will be given at the Book and Music Stores of the late firm, except to firms of good standing. All transactions to be strictly cash.

H. KENT,
jy23-td Executor.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned has been dissolved this day by mutual consent, Mr. Richards retiring. The business will be carried on at the old address at Broad street and at the Market by Messrs. H. Cuthbert & Co., who will receive all assets and discharge all liabilities of the late firm of Richards & Cuthbert.

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.
HERBERT CUTHBERT.
Witness: J. St. Clair Blackett.
Victoria, July 15th, 1892. jy13-tf

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between John Earsman and Alexander McKenzie Leitch, under the name or style of John Earsman & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business will in future be carried on by John Earsman.

6th July, 1892. jy6-1m

Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deans and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
63 Government Street, Victoria.
Victoria, B. C., June 2, 1892. ju7-tf

GUITARS	MANDOLINS
The Marquette. Quarter-sawed Sycamore [illegible]	The Lakeside. Variegated Birds-Eye Maple [illegible]
The Lakeside. Quarter-sawed Oak, $10.00	The Arion. Maple and Mahogany, [illegible]
The Arion. Solid Mahogany, [illegible]	The Arion. Same as preceding, inlaid, [illegible]
The Conservatory. Solid Rosewood, [illegible]	The Conservatory. Solid Rosewood, [illegible]

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House, standing on lot 100 feet square, containing 10 rooms, near Dallas Road, with full sea view. Apply to

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The British Columbia Land & Investment Agency, Ld.

(SUCCESSORS TO ALLSOP & MASON.)

In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

LACROSSE.

The postoffice clerks are the latest aspirants for honors on the lacrosse field. They are out with a challenge (written on Government paper) to play the Victoria senior lacrosse team a friendly game on Saturday next; and this is the personnel of the team they have selected: Brown, goal; Murray, point; Sehl, cover point; Graham, Stewart, Ferrall, defence field; Mc Roberts, centre; Shepheard, Smith, Haynes, home field; Finlaison, outside home; Newbury, inside home; Noah Shakespeare, field captain, and T. A. Cairns is suggested as referee. Jimmy Murray of the P. O.'s says they have a splendid team—if they could only play lacrosse. One of the Victoria players says there is a "wicket" insinuation in this challenge which should be "stamped" out.

WHEELING.

HANDICAP RACES.

The Wanderers got down to work again on the Driving Park race track, the handicap races being resumed. There was not a large turn out by any means, but the races were lively and the members were well pleased with the performances. In the one mile W. J. Jeffree, scratch; B. Tiedemann, 100 yards and F. Dalby, 175 yards, were the starters. Jeffree worked hard to capture the leaders, but worked in vain. Dalby won easily, with Tiedemann second, 40 yards behind. F. Dalby and B. Tiedeman were the only starters in the two mile race. The former would not accept a handicap of 75 yards and both started from scratch. The race was not a swift one, and Tiedemann won on a final spurt, leading his rival by six feet.

THE OAR.

AMENITIES OF TRAINING.

The eight gentlemen who are acting as strokes in the four-oared crews for the James Bay Athletic Association regatta on the 20th instant, wish their men to turn up punctually and regularly for practice, as there is no time to be lost and many of the men need "licking into shape." Mr. McConnan's crew went out yesterday afternoon and enjoyed a spin up to the Gorge and back. Each crew is allowed 40 minutes in the boat at a time; there being eight crews to serve, this system was found necessary. Where three men in a crew turn up and stand around waiting for the fourth to put in an appearance their feelings are not expressible in words when they see another crew come down together and pull away with the boat which their own dilatory member has lost them, for 40 minutes at least. Words not recognized by the dictionaries are muttered, and the vials of wrath kept piping hot for the truant when he reaches the boat house with his string of excuses. It is earnestly requested by the strokes that the men all show up in decent time.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Thermometers registered 76 deg. in the shade to-day.

Fully five thousand people passed through the Trounce alley gate to-day. Pretty good traffic for a private avenue.

Picnic parties are the order of the day. Two of such outings were held at Cadbora Bay and up the Arm yesterday.

A Most Generous Offer.

Half a dozen steamers were working around the San Pedro to-day preparing for the final hoist on Friday. A thick cloud of black smoke hung over the spot, making it look like a rolling mill in full blast. The owners of the new steamer Joan have offered the vessel's services gratuitously for the supply of steam when the attempt to raise the boat is made. It is understood the gentlemen in charge of the San Pedro raising have thankfully accepted the generous offer. There will be ten steamers around the Pedro on Friday, and if she ever is to come she will come then, nautical experts say.

An Old Miner Dead.

Richard Quick a native of Cornwall, England, aged 69 years, died this morning at the residence of his sister-in-law, Pandora street. The deceased came to British Columbia thirty years ago and worked in the Cariboo mines until commencement of work on the C.P.R. He was one of the "bosses" during construction after which he came to Victoria and has lived here ever since. He leaves three sons and a daughter. The funeral will take place on Friday from his late residence and the Pandora street Methodist church.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The Mystery is being treated to a coat of paint.

Capt. Pamphlet took the Lottie out to Beacher Bay this afternoon to bring home the family of John Braden and friends who have been camping there. Mr. Braden acted as mate of the steamer.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Miss Laura M. Adams returned from New York last evening.

Hon. J. H. Turner returned from the Mainland last evening.

E. C. Wooton, of the firm of McPhillips, Wooton & Barnard, has left for New York.

E. C. Blackwood, Mrs. Blackwood and children and Miss L. Wallace, are camping on Curtis' point.

INQUIRER'S INQUIRIES ANSWERED.

To the Editor:—Your excited correspondent "Inquirer" is out in his geography, and as the street urchins say, when a fellow utters rank nonsense, "talks through his hat." Mr. Higgins' family are not camped at Gordon Head nor within at least two miles of that beautiful spot. Neither can Capt. Vantreight's be reached from the camp by "the drive" which "Inquirer" says the camp obstructs. No "drive" exists there. There is, however, a stretch of water, some two miles in length, from the camp to the captain's, but if "Inquirer" were to adopt the water route I fear he would need a more potent draught than the "convivial cup of tea" of which he speaks to revive him.

The camp is on a reserve set apart by Sir James Douglas for "the use and recreation of the public forever," It has been a favorite resort for camp and picnic parties for many years and is as free to "Inquirer" and his family as to that of any other citizen's.

In addition to the family named there are representatives of five other Victoria and two San Francisco families utilizing the reserve for the purposes to which it was dedicated by a beneficent government. Your correspondent commences with the demand, "I want to know who owns the earth?" Is he in the real estate line? Does he meditate a boom, that he shows so much anxiety for a clear title? No use to apply to the registrar-general. "Inquirer," must consult the Good Book. He will therein find it recorded, "the earth is the Lord's, and the fullness thereof."

One of the Campers.

—— VS. GILES.

To the Editor:—It appears to me, after reading the opinion of Justice Begbie, in the case of —— versus Giles, that he simply sees it through his own spectacles, as a lawyer and not for the protection of the business men of the city. We all know that if the proceedings of Mr. Giles are lawful then it means less suing for judgments, and therefore less employment for lawyers and judges, but on the other side it means less credit and less bad debts to the merchants without these long tedious law proceedings, which as they stand at present, is a complete protection for those who wish to be dishonest. Take for instance the exemption act of $500. What does it mean? It means nothing more nor less than a man can step into any store in town and once he has obtained $500 worth of goods can sell the same and laugh at the merchant with the money in his pocket. Take again a man who is worth $10,000, if he is a rogue and so inclined he can deposit this money in the bank in his wife's name, receive her power of attorney to draw some when he feels like it and then laugh at his grocer and baker for allowing his wife so much credit. Is this justice to the property of this city? Take away the prosperity of your merchants and what becomes of your lawyers and judges and even your city? Then why not give them justice by rescinding such unjust laws?

A Government Street Merchant.

Trounce Avenue.

The gate keeper at Trounce avenue to-day counted the people passing through that private thoroughfare. From 7 a.m. until 12, over 2700 people had passed the wicket.

Sluggers Matched.

San Francisco, Aug. 3.—The California Athletic Club to-day matched Solly Smith of Los Angeles, and Johnny Vannest, of Cincinnati, for a fight at 115 pounds.

Military Burial.

New York, Aug. 3.—Lieut.-Colonel Michael R. Sall, late assistant commissary general of subsistence, who died on Monday, was buried this morning from the military chapel of Governors Island. The services were according to the military code.

Disinfectants.

Use Carbo-Napthazone for disinfecting purposes. For sale by Langley & Co., 21 and 23 Yates street. *

DIED.

Quick—In this city, on the 3rd inst., Richard Quick, a native of Cornwall, England, aged 69 years.

The funeral will take place on Friday at 2 o'clock, from the residence of Mrs. Quick, Pandora street, and from the Pandora Avenue Methodist Church.

$10 REWARD

For INFORMATION leading to the conviction of the offender who stole my donkey, last Saturday night, from Mr. B. W. Pearse's field, Spring Ridge.

al-3t HENRY P. PELLEW CREASE.

NO. 166.

A BY-LAW

To aid the collection of water rents and water rates within the Municipality of the City of Victoria, and to enforce payment thereof.

WHEREAS under and by virtue of section 14 of the Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873, it is enacted that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall have power from time to time to make and enforce all necessary by-laws, (inter alia) for the collection of water rents and rates, and in case of default of payment, to enforce payment by shutting off the water in addition to the other remedies which the said Council may have for enforcing payment thereof;

And whereas it is expedient to pass such a by-law.

Be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. Besides the other remedies provided by the statute or statutes in that behalf for the collection of water rents or rates within the Municipality of the City of Victoria, the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, or their servants or agents may in case of nonpayment of said water rents or rates for 30 days after the day upon which the same shall have become due and payable, shut off the supply of water from any house, store, office, building or part of a building upon which the said rent shall be due and unpaid for the period aforesaid.

2. This by-law may be cited as "The Water Rate By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 20th day of June, 1892.

Reconsidered and finally passed the 20th day of June, 1892.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

Wellington J. Dowler,
C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of the by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the 2nd day of August, 1892, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

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MONTREAL.
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Sole Agents for the Dominion.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there is no partnership business existing between J. W. Close and R. J. Johnson, who formerly carried on business as saloon keepers in this city.

Dated this 3rd day of August, 1892.

au3-10t R. J. JOHNSON.

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ELECTRIC SOAP, Cheapest in the Market.
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PURE MALT VINEGAR, Fine for Pickling.
PURE MALT VINEGAR, Best for Table.
PURE MALT VINEGAR Adorns the Cruet.
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WHITE WINE VINEGAR, Sure to Please.
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NO. 165.

A BY-LAW

To amend the Streets Grade By-Law, 1891.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Streets Grade By-Law, 1891;

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That section 1 of the said by-law shall be and the same is hereby repealed and that the following section be substituted therefor.

2. Subject to section 3 of this by-law from and after the final passage thereof the grades of the streets, avenues and walks, set forth in the schedule hereto shall at the points set forth in the first column of the said schedule be at the elevations set forth in the second column of the said schedule and that between the different points mentioned where the grade is specially fixed the grade shall be uniform and true.

3. That section 3 of the said by-law shall be and the same is hereby repealed and that the following section be substituted therefor.

4. Wherever it may be deemed necessary expedient or convenient the City Surveyor for the time being, subject to the approval of the Council, may establish any point or points as the grades along any street, avenue, lane and walk mentioned in the schedule or elsewhere within the city limits or either or both sides thereof and thereafter the grade along said streets or any of them aforesaid shall be uniform and true between the points of grade established along said streets, and in case more than one point be established then the grade shall be uniform and true between each of the said points on either side thereof.

5. This by-law may be cited as "The Streets Grade By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 27th day of July, 1892.

Reconsidered and finally passed the 2nd day of August, 1892.

[L.S] ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

Wellington J. Dowler,
C. M. C.

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